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## MEMORANDUM FOR CHAIRMAN, USIB

SUBJECT : Secretariat Summary of USIB Agenda for 14 March 1968

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Item 1 Approval of Minutes

Draft has been circulated by Exec Sec for USIB approval; Sponsor-- [REDACTED]

Item 2 Watch Report

Draft by Watch Committee to be circulated for Board approval; Sponsor-- [REDACTED]

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Item 3 SNIE on Communist Intentions in Laos

BNE draft coordinated with USIB Representatives for USIB approval; Sponsor-- Mr. Smith

BNE and the USIB Representatives reached agreement late last evening (Monday) on this draft of the subject SNIE which you requested last week. There were no reservations or dissents at the Representatives' level; there is as yet, however, no information regarding possible problems which may be raised by the USIB Principals.

Item 4 SNIE on Insurgency in Burma

BNE draft coordinated with USIB Representatives for USIB approval; Sponsor-- Mr. Smith

No significant substantive problems were encountered in the preparation and coordination of this SNIE, which was requested by State. BNE does not anticipate any particular difficulties at the USIB. Changes written into your draft are agreed upon at the Representatives' level.

Item 5 CCPC Study on Intelligence Activities Against North Korea

CCPC Recommendations for USIB approval; Sponsor - General Reynolds

During the 7 December meeting the Board agreed that the CCPC should make a review of intelligence activities against North Korea in light of General Bonesteel's statement concerning the need for more and better intelligence coverage of North Korea, and report its findings and recommendations to the Board. The results of the review are detailed in pages 8-47 of the CCPC report, and its Conclusions and Recommendations are submitted in pages 4-7. The Chairman of the CCPC in forwarding the requested study recommends that USIB: (a) note the study, (b) approve the conclusions (p. 4-6) and (c) approve the recommendations (p. 7). There were no major disagreements in the coordination of this study and General Reynolds does not anticipate any particular problems at USIB.

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Executive Secretary, USIB

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